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Service provision system using internet for reverse auction, has management center which transmits service purchase information to user apparatus and traders, along with user apparatus and consumables usage situation data

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**BASIC-ABSTRACT:** 

NOVELTY - A management center (21) performs memory management of service purchasing information along with its period information. The purchase information and period information are transmitted to the user apparatus (11) and traders (22-24) through network (N), when transmitting judgment information corresponding to usage situation of the user apparatus and consumables based on the purchasing information.

USE - For providing service such as reverse auction service with respect to personal computer, digital copier, printer, motor vehicle, lift, and air-conditioner, through wide area network such as internet with/without wired circuit telephone line, local area network (LAN) and infrared communication circuit.

ADVANTAGE - Reduces the burden of the user with respect to a maintenance by automatic transmission of service purchase information, while managing the expenses of consumables effectively, in suitable environmental proposals such as replacement/addition to new apparatus, thereby enabling purchase of consumables at low price.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows an explanatory diagram of the service provision system. (Drawing includes non- English language text).

user apparatus 11

personal computer 12

management center 21

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traders 22-24

network N

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